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SUBJECT: TIN: ITC STATISTICAL COMMITTEE MEETING

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1. FOLLOWING ARE DATA ON QUARTERLY US TIN CONSUMPTION, PRODUCTION, AND STOCKS, AS REQUESTED REFTEL (ALL FIGURES IN LONG TONS; FIGURES PRIOR TO 1975 ARE ACTUAL; FIRST QUARTER 1975 DATA ARE PRELIMINARY; AND OTHER 1975 FIGURES ARE ESTIMATES):

(A) US PRIMARY TIN CONSUMPTION

	1ST QTR.	2ND QTR.	3RD QTR.	4TH QTR.	TOTAL
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1974	14,316	14,315	12,062	10,918	51,611
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1975	10,670(P)	10,000(E)	10,000(E)	12,000(E)	42,670
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(B) US SECONDARY TIN CONSUMPTION

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1974	3,697	3,669	2,860	2,905	13,131
1975	2,675(P)	3,200(E)	3,200(E)	3,600(E)	12,675

(C) US PRIMARY TIN PRODUCTION

1974	1,025	2,250	1,500	1,225	6,000
1975	1,667(P)	1,500(E)	1,500(E)	1,500(E)	6,167

D. CONSUMER STOCKS OF TIN METAL AT END OF QUARTER

1973	14,070	12,250	13,035	13,609(R)	-
1974	12,075	13,165	13,925	14,782(R)	-
1975	15,102(P)	12,000(E)	13,000(E)	14,000(E)	-

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